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DETAILED ACTION

Allowable Subject Matter

- Claims 1-20 are allowed.
- 2. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: he prior art of record fails to teach or suggest, alone or in a combination, among other things, at least an apparatus for transmitting communication between first and second communication units over a plurality of radio frequencies and its method as a whole, the combination of elements and features, which includes the first and second communication units communicate over a first radio frequency during a first time frame, a voltage controlled oscillator (VCO) of the first and second communication units selecting an initial frequency, a frequency multiplier multiplying the initial frequency to select a second radio frequency during a time period within the first time frame as recited in the claims.
- 3. Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."
- 4. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Edith M. Chang whose telephone number is 571-272-3041. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F.

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If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Jay K. Patel can be reached on 571-272-2988. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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